

# MEETING NOTICE

**THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2003, AT 10:00AM IN THE COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, 320 NORTH CARROLLTON AVENUE, SUITE 2-B, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 70119-5100.**

**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT TO INTRODUCE NEW COMMISSIONER, LESTER J. COLOMB, JR.**

## I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

### A. DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

#### 1. STAKES RACES

Approval of stakes schedule for upcoming quarter horse meet:

John Alleman Memorial	04/06/03	Alabama Derby	05/03/03	Professional Choice	05/31/03
Silver Bullet	04/12/03	Trials 04/19/03		Trials 05/15/03	
High Set	04/13/03	Carolyn Hebert	05/04/03	Live Oak	06/08/03
Louisiana Purchase	04/18/03	Delta 550 Championship	05/11/03	Miss Polly	06/21/03
Lassie Futurity	04/19/03	Open Graduation	05/17/03	Vinton	06/21/03
Trials 04/04/03		Trials 05/01/03		Firecracker Futurity	06/28/03
Laddie Futurity	04/19/03	MCI Challenge	05/17/03	Trials 06/12/03	
Trials 04/05/03		Trials 05/02/03		Firecracker Derby	06/28/03
La Bred Graduation	04/26/03	Sophomore Showdown	05/18/03	Trials 06/14/03	
Trials 04/10/03		American Airlines Juvenile	05/24/03	Louisiana Classic	06/28/03
Bayer Legend Derby	04/26/03	Trials 05/08/03		Lee Berwick Futurity	06/29/03
Trials 04/11/03		Alabama Juvenile	05/24/03	Trials 06/13/03	
Cajun Sprint	04/27/03	Delta Downs Derby	05/25/03	Ford Distaff	06/29/03
Alabama Futurity	05/03/03	Trials 05/10/03		Trials 06/14/03	
Trials 04/18/03		MBNA Challenge	05/31/03	Virgil Bond	06/29/03
		Trials 05/16/03			

#### 2. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

Ratify Joy Marlin as Assistant Clocker.

### B. THE OLD EVANGELINE DOWNS, LLC

#### 1. RACES & POST TIME

Ratify first condition book for 2003 meet

#### 2. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Chapters 103-127)

Ratify modified racing format to include superfecta wagering on all races with 8 or more betting interests; rolling pick 3's beginning with race #1; lowered minimum wager on all wagers (WPS, exacta, quinella, daily double, trifecta, superfecta, pick 3 & pick 4) to \$1.

### C. FAIR GROUNDS CORPORATION

**1. OTB APPROVAL**

Approval to relocate Thibodaux OTB facility and open new OTB facility in Raceland (Lafourche Parish).

**D. LOUISIANA DOWNS, INC.**

**1. LICENSE APPROVAL**

Ratification of conversion of Harrah’s Bossier City Investment Company (HBCIC) from foreign to domestic LLC.

**II. OTHER APPROVALS**

**A. APPROVAL TO RUN CLAIMED HORSES**

Ratification of request for approval by Forrest H. Lanning to race NOINBETWEENERS in the Cypress Stakes at Delta Downs on 1/11/03.

Ratification of request for approval by George Brunacini to race CAJUN BROGUE in the WEBN Stakes at Turfway Park on 2/1/03.

**B. MISCELLANEOUS APPROVALS**

Withdraw Commission approval of Gerald Rodrigue as certified substance abuse counselor for LSRC.

**III. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- A. **MEDICATION COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Jerry Meaux
- B. **RULES COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Jerry Meaux
- C. **HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE**, by 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman Payton R. Covington
- D. **AUDIT COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Aubrey LaPlace  
Approval of Annual Slots Purse Report.
- E. **LEGAL COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Oscar J. Tolmas
- F. **RACETRACK LIAISON COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner J. D. Blondin
- G. **SECURITY COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Kenneth “Kenu” Romero

**IV. LICENSE APPROVALS (R.S. 4:150(B)(2))**

**V. ADJUDICATIONS**

**A. APPEALS (R.S. 4:154)**

**Edward Martin, Jr., Jockey.** Fair Grounds ruling #12300 of 1/4/03 – careless riding.  
**Donnie J. Meche, Jr., Jockey.** Fair Grounds ruling #12321 of 1/11/03 – human drug testing, 1<sup>st</sup> offense.

**B. ADJUDICATIONS REFERRED (R.S. 4:172)**

**Donnie J. Meche, Jr., Jockey.** Delta Downs ruling #12426 of 2/8/03 – jockey’s race performance.

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Executive Director